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AND BOARD OF EDUCATION,

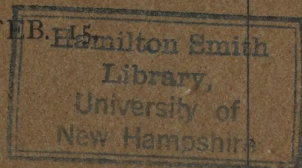
OF THE

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## State of New Hampshire.

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To the Inhabitants of the Town of New Castle qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town on the second Tuesday of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

FIRST. To hear reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

SECOND. To choose all necessary town officers and agents for the year ensuing.

THIRD. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools for the year ensuing

FOURTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of poor the year ensuing.

FIFTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs of highways and bridges the year ensuing.

SIXTH. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for contingent expenses for the town the year ensuing.

SEVENTH. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the money necessary to pay the interest on town bonds the year ensuing.

EIGHT. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to the commission of Collector of Taxes the year ensuing.

NINTH. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money on the credit of the town at a rate not to exceed six per cent.

TENTH. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount on taxes paid within a limited time.

ELEVENTH. To see if the town will vote to ratify the revision of the Constitution by the Constitutional Convention held Dec., 1902.

TWELFTH. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 21st day of February, 1903,

THADDEUS TARLTON,	} Selectmen of New Castle.
WM. T. MELOON,	
E. D. RAND,	

A true copy, attest:

THADDEUS TARLTON,	} Selectmen of New Castle.
WM. T. MELOON,	
E. D. RAND,	

## List of Town Officers.

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*Selectmen*, THADDEUS TARLTON, WILLIAM T. MELOON,  
E. D. RAND.

*Town Clerk*, BYRON S. YEATON.

*Treasurer*, CHARLES C. TARLTON.

*Collector*, FRANK A. BROWN.

*Road Agents*, OLIVER V. RANDALL, BENJ. F. CURTIS.

*Constable*, JOHN E. YEATON.

*Policeman*, WEBSTER G. WHITE.

*Auditors*, WILLARD M. JENNESS, OLIVER B. MARVIN.

*Assessors of Taxes*, THADDEUS TARLTON, WILLIAM T.  
MELOON, E. D. RAND.

*Sealer of Weights and Measures*, OLIVER B. MARVIN.

*Supervisors of Checklist*, CHARLES C. TARLTON, O. V.  
RANDALL, Z. J. V. RANDALL.

*Library Trustees*, HENRY BECKER, JR., WILLARD M.  
JENNESS, S. H. HARDING.

*Board of Health*, OLIVER V. RANDALL, EDWARD B.  
BAKER, CONRAD PUSH.

*Board of Education*, JAMES W. PRIDHAM, CONRAD  
PUSH, ANDREW B. WHITE.



## Inventory of the Town of New Castle.

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Number of polls, 134; value,	\$13,400 00
Improved and unimproved land and buildings,	270,717 00
Horses, 71,	5,102 00
Cows, 11,	322 00
Carriages, 78,	6,150 00
Stock in banks,	7,600 00
Stock in trade,	2,200 00
Toll bridges and wharves,	2,550 00
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	\$308,041 00

## Appropriations.

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Schools,	\$700 00
Highways and bridges,	500 00
Contingent,	500 00
Interest,	660 00
State tax,	476 00
County tax,	900 16
Library fund,	100 00
Sinking fund,	500 00
Repairs for town hall,	125 00
Repairs for sea wall,	300 00
Collector's commission,	124 97
Overlays,	244 68
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	\$5,130 81

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The selectmen have received and paid to town treasurer the following sums of money, for which they hold his receipt :

May 20, '02,	From County Treasurer, due town,	\$69 70
June 10, '02,	“ Robert F. White, to balance his accounts,	5 85
Aug. 5, '02,	“ County for overdrawn check,	100 00
Aug. 19, '02,	“ County treasurer, due town,	58 50
Nov. 18, '02,	“ County treasurer, due town,	58 50
Dec. 2, '02,	“ Solan A. Carter, state treasurer, Savings bank, etc., schools,	613 27 3 00
Jan. 27, '03,	“ County treasurer, due town,	57 50
Feb. 10, '03,	“ County treasurer, due town,	1 00
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		\$967 22

## CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

C. C. Tarlton, auditor, 1901,	\$6 00
Byron S. Yeaton, services,	2 35
John D. Randall, printing reports,	28 50
Willard M. Jenness, auditor, 1902,	6 00
John Sise & Co., treasurer's bond,	10 00
Harry S. Yeaton, moderator,	3 00
B. F. Curtis, clerk of school, etc.,	5 53
Wm. I. Haywood, insurance policy,	50 00
C. C. Tarlton, distributing inventories,	2 00
City of Portsmouth, tuition,	10 00
W. G. White, police officer, 1901,	5 00
Thaddeus Tarlton, services,	12 00
Byron S. Yeaton, services,	15 00
M. E. Marston, supplies,	2 20
John D. Randall, printing tax bills,	6 00
Thaddeus Tarlton, services,	5 00
Thaddeus Tarlton, making taxes,	20 00
R. C. Margeson, desk,	11 00
Eastman, supplies,	1 14
Metallic Guide Board Co., street signs,	14 40
James M. Meloan, board of health, 1901,	10 00
Byron S. Yeaton, services,	5 00
Thaddeus Tarlton, putting up signs,	3 00
City of Portsmouth, tuition,	40 00
Hoyt & Dow, supplies,	6 60
Dr. S. T. Ladd, vaccinations,	4 00
O. V. Randall, supervisor,	5 00
Z. J. V. Randall, supervisor,	5 00
George W. Randall, ballot clerk,	2 00
Elmer Pridham, ballot clerk,	2 00
Thaddeus Tarlton, services,	5 00
C. C. Tarlton, supervisor.	10 00
F. A. Brown, election officer,	2 00
Jesse O. White, election officer,	2 00
John H. Broughton, lumber,	5 40



John D. Randall, printing cards,	\$ 1 75
J. W. Pridham, services,	10 00
Conrad Push, services school board, etc.,	10 00
O. V. Randall, road agent and board of health,	20 00
Thaddeus Tarlton, services selectman, etc.,	35 00
Harry S. Yeaton, moderator,	3 00
E. D. Rand, services as selectman,	25 00
Wm. T. Meloon, services, etc.,	36 60
C. C. Tarlton, services, etc.,	31 00
George A. White, supplies,	2 06
John E. Yeaton, constable,	10 00
John E. Yeaton, truant officer,	5 00
City of Portsmouth, tuition,	30 00
Andrew B. White, services,	5 00
B. F. Curtis, road agent and clerk of schools,	15 00
Byron S. Yeaton, services town clerk, etc.,	51 65
Edward B. Baker, board of health,	5 00
Thaddeus Tarlton, making reports,	20 00
H. M. Curtis, supplies,	5 75
Byron S. Yeaton, services,	3 35
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	\$647 28

#### REPAIRS OF HIGHWAYS.

Paid James W. White,	\$14 60
Andrew Manson,	11 74
F. A. Brown,	3 26
John W. Pridham,	12 00
John E. Yeaton,	12 23
C. A. Card,	27 60
O. V. Randall,	17 00
G. B. Chadwick,	6 56
George A. Trafton,	5 84
A. J. Manson,	19 55

Paid J. E. Yeaton,	\$ 8 00
Wm. J. Yeaton,	19 55
Rufus J. Emery,	19 00
John W. Pridham,	19 55
Clarence Williams,	20 00
J. A. Walker & Co.,	13 15
O. V. Randall,	12 00
John T. Amazeen,	19 55
J. R. Pridham,	12 00
J. V. White,	4 58
G. B. Chadwick,	4 17
George A. Trafton,	3 44
A. P. Wendell,	1 90
Rider & Cotton,	3 60
B. F. Curtis,	17 00
Elerson C. White,	8 00
C. A. Card,	5 25
Wm. J. Yeaton,	3 00
Mrs. Sarah Locke,	8 60
John R. Pridham,	4 00
J. E. Yeaton,	4 00
John R. Pridham,	4 00
Wm. T. Meloon,	21 50
Wm. T. Meloon,	8 65
John T. Amazeen,	2 00
John R. Pridham,	12 00
O. V. Randall,	9 25
George W. Randall,	4 00
C. A. Card,	7 00
Wm. T. Meloon,	7 00
Wm. T. Meloon,	23 40
B. F. Curtis,	7 00
Amory J. Meloon,	5 85
James Baker,	3 00
Wm. J. Yeaton,	4 00
Stephen L. Amazeen,	4 00

Paid George W. Randall,	\$2 00
O. V. Randall,	2 00
Wm. T. Meloon,	4 77
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	\$472 14

We certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched,

OLIVER V. RANDALL, } *Road*  
B. F. CURTIS, } *Agents.*

WILLARD M. JENNESS, } *Auditors.*  
OLIVER B. MARVIN, }

Feb. 17, 1903.

#### PAID FOR REPAIRS OF SEA WALL.

Paid George W. Randall,	\$ 6 00
O. V. Randall,	8 00
S. Batson,	23 00
C. Williams,	2 00
C. Williams,	5 20
J. V. White,	60 18
Z. J. V. Randall,	6 00
S. Batson,	17 50
Rider & Cotton,	2 28
J. T. Amazeen,	15 00
John H. Broughton,	23 94
Thomas E. Call,	2 82
John H. Broughton,	21 06
Pryor & Matthews,	7 97
J. E. Yeaton,	8 00
C. Williams,	10 00
B. F. Curtis,	25 00
O. V. Randall,	12 00
J. R. Pridham,	4 00



Paid Fred Bell,	\$3 06
J. R. Pridham,	4 00
John R. Pridham,	6 00
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	\$273 01

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REMOVING SNOW.

Paid C. J. Horning,	\$4 40
C. C. Tarlton,	4 60
N. W. Yeaton,	1 60
J. T. Amazeen,	4 60
J. E. Yeaton,	5 00
T. Tarlton,	4 00
Samuel Batson,	4 70
Fabius Robinson,	1 80
William J. Yeaton,	4 60
R. J. Emery,	2 00
S. F. Ruee,	1 50
Mark W. Ruee,	2 50
C. E. Young,	1 80
James Baker,	2 60
Granville Amazeen,	1 40
Isaac Pridham,	3 30
J. R. Pridham,	3 30
Lewis H. Trefethen,	1 00
L. E. Hubley,	2 40
Fabius Robinson,	5 60
J. E. Yeaton,	4 00
W. A. Amazeen,	5 60
T. Jackson,	80
John R. Pridham,	4 40
Hazen Randall,	70
C. H. Johnson,	1 00

Paid James Baker,	\$1 80
Loren E. Hubley,	4 80
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	\$85 80

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### REPORT IN REGARD TO POOR.

Paid B. F. Curtis, supplies to Ambrose Yeaton,	\$39 00
Mrs. Rebecca Beal,	78 00
Dr. F. S. Towle, attendance to Mrs. Beal,	11 20
R. E. Poole, rent to Mrs. Meloon,	36 00
Mrs. Sarah E. Meloon,	42 00
G. A. White, supplies to Ambrose Yeaton,	39 00
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	\$245 20
Received from county,	\$245 20

THADDEUS TARLTON,	} <i>Overseers</i>
WILLIAM T. MELOON,	
E. D. RAND,	
	} <i>of</i>
	} <i>Poor.</i>

We certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

WILLARD M. JENNESS,	} <i>Auditors.</i>
OLIVER B. MARVIN,	

Feb. 17, 1903.

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### INTEREST ON TOWN BONDS.

Paid National Mechanics & Traders Bank,	\$660 00
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### STATE TAX.

Paid Solon A. Carter, State Treasurer,	\$476 00
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## SINKING FUND.

On deposit with Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee	
Co., Feb. 15, 1902,	\$1,515 10
Interest to June 3, 1902,	16 88
Deposited Aug. 20, 1902,	1,000 00
Interest to Dec. 3, 1903,	31 54
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	\$2,563 52

Tax collector, commission,	\$114 80
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## REPAIRS TO TOWN HALL.

Paid Andrew H. White,	\$144 81
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County tax,	\$1,000 16
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Schools,	\$773 24
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## RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Feb. 16, 1902,	\$1,509 26
Taxes received from Robert F. White,	261 24
Railroad tax,	33 83
Savings bank tax,	613 27
Literary fund,	23 50
High School tuition, from state,	3 00
County poor,	245 20
Dog licenses,	28 00



Taxes from Frank C. Brown,	\$4,500 60
Tuition from out-of-town children,	10 00
Amount overdrawn from county treasurer,	100 00
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	\$7,327 90

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#### DISBURSEMENTS.

County poor,	\$245 20
Highways,	472 14
Sea walls,	273 01
Removing snow,	85 80
State tax,	476 00
County tax,	1,000 16
Interest,	660 00
Public library,	100 00
Sinking fund,	1,000 00
Collector's commission,	114 80
Schools,	773 24
Contingent,	647 28
Repairs to town hall,	144 81
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	\$5,992 44

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#### ABSTRACT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1902,	\$1,509 26
Receipts to Feb. 15, 1903,	5,818 64
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	\$7,327 90
Disbursements to Feb. 15, 1903,	5,992 44
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Cash on hand,	\$1,335 46

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

## LIABILITIES.

Bonds outstanding,	\$22,000 00
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## ASSETS.

Cash in the treasury,	\$1,335 46
In collector's hands,	537 99
Sold to town,	92 22
Deeds held by town,	444 10
Sinking fund,	2,563 52
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	\$4,973 29
Balance against town,	\$17,026 71

We certify that we have examined the foregoing statement,  
and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

WILLARD M. JENNESS,	} <i>Auditors.</i>
OLIVER B. MARVIN,	

Feb. 17, 1903.

## Dog Licenses.

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### *To the Selectmen of the Town of New Castle:*

The following is a list of dog licenses issued since May 1, 1902—

No. 1, Charles A. Card,	\$2 00
2, Andrew Manson,	2 00
3, Joshua K. Card,	2 00
4, Mrs. Mary L. Suter,	2 00
5, Charles E. Campbell,	2 00
6, William T. Meloon,	2 00
7, Mrs. Mary Chappell,	2 00
8, Amory J. Meloon,	4 00
9, Samuel E. Barrett,	2 00
10, Charles Johnson,	5 00
11, Richard E. Poole,	2 00
12, William V. Lawrence,	2 00
13, H. D. Coffenberry,	2 00

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Total amount received,	\$31 00
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Clerk's fees, 20 cents each,	3 00
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Amount turned over to treasurer,	\$28 00
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Respectfully submitted,

BYRON S. YEATON, *Town Clerk.*



## Treasurer's Report.

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HOWARD M. CURTIS, *In account with the TOWN OF  
NEW CASTLE, as Town Treasurer,*

From Feb. 15, 1902, to Mar. 29, 1902.

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### RECEIVED.

1902.

Feb. 15, Balance on hand,	\$1,509 26
March 1, Received of Robert F. White, col- lector for 1902,	72 79
14, Received of Robert F. White, col- lector for 1902,	45 60
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	\$1,627 65

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### ORDERS PAID.

1902.

March 4, W. I. Haywood,	\$10 00
10, A. J. Horning,	4 40
10, C. C. Tarlton,	10 60
10, O. V. Randall,	6 20
10, Byron S. Yeaton,	2 35
12, Beatrice Randall,	40 00
12, Maud Trefethen,	20 00
14, J. E. Yeaton,	5 00
14, W. I. Haywood,	90 75
18, Fabius Robinson,	1 80
18, Samuel Batson,	4 70
18, Thaddeus Tarlton,	4 00
18, W. J. Yeaton,	4 60
18, Rufus J. Emery,	2 00
18, Samuel F. Ruee,	1 50

March 18, Mark W. Ruee,	\$2 50
18, Charles E. Young,	1 80
18, James Baker,	2 60
18, Granville Amazeen,	1 40
25, Isaac Pridham,	3 30
25, John R. Pridham,	3 30
25, John D. Randall,	28 50
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	\$251 30
Balance on hand,	1,376 35
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	\$1,627 65

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WILLARD M. JENNESS, }  
 OLIVER B. MARVIN, } *Auditors.*

Mar. 29, 1902.

## Treasurer's Report.

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CHARLES C. TARLTON, *In account with the TOWN*  
OF NEW CASTLE, *as Town Treasurer,*

From Mar. 31, 1902, to Feb. 15, 1903.

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### RECEIPTS.

1902.

March 31,	Cash received from H. M. Curtis, treasurer, 1901, as per transfer by check,	\$1,376 35
April 15,	Robert F. White, collector, 1901,	137 00
May 20,	Thaddeus Tarlton, from county treas- urer,	69 70
27,	Frank C. Brown, collector of taxes for 1900, 1901, 1902,	70 00
June 3,	Frank C. Brown, collector of taxes for 1902,	280 00
7,	Frank C. Brown, collector of taxes for 1901, 1902,	31 78
10,	Thaddeus Tarlton, taxes to balance Robert F. White's account,	5 85
10,	Frank C. Brown, collector of taxes for 1902,	160 00
25,	Frank C. Brown, collector of taxes for 1902,	150 00
July 5,	Frank C. Brown, collector of taxes for 1902,	784 53
25,	Frank C. Brown, collector of taxes for 1902,	2,250 00
Aug. 2,	Frank C. Brown, collector of taxes for 1902,	356 86



Aug. 5,	Thaddeus Tarlton, selectman, over-	
	drawn check to county treasurer,	\$100 00
19,	Thaddeus Tarlton, from county treas-	
	urer,	58 50
Sept. 6,	Frank C. Brown, collector of taxes	
	for 1901, 1902,	28 12
16,	James W. Pridham, board of edu-	
	cation, for tuition of F. P. Odi-	
	orne's children,	5 00
Oct. 4,	Frank C. Brown, collector of taxes	
	for 1902,	29 63
Nov. 18,	Thaddeus Tarlton, from county treas-	
	urer,	58 50
Dec. 2,	Thaddeus Tarlton, from state treas-	
	urer,	673 60
6,	Frank C. Brown, collector of taxes	
	for 1902,	228 62
1903.		
Jan. 3,	Received from Frank C. Brown, col-	
	lector of taxes for 1901, 1902,	38 83
9,	James W. Pridham, board of edu-	
	cation, for tuition of F. P. Odi-	
	orne's children,	5 00
27,	Thaddeus Tarlton, from county treas-	
	urer,	37 50

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#### DISBURSEMENTS.

April 1,	Paid James W. Pridham,	\$14 00
1,	George W. Randall,	6 00
1,	Willard M. Jenness,	6 00
1,	John Sise & Co., bond,	10 00
1,	Harry S. Yeaton,	3 00
1,	B. F. Curtis,	19 50
1,	B. F. Curtis,	5 53
8,	William I. Haywood,	50 00

April 8,	R. E. Poole,	\$9 00
8,	Mrs. Sarah E. Meloon,	10 50
8,	C. C. Tarlton,	2 00
15,	City of Portsmouth, for tuition,	10 00
15,	F. S. Towle, M. D.,	11 20
15,	Mrs. Rebecca Beal,	19 50
15,	Webster G. White,	5 00
22,	O. V. Randall,	8 00
22,	Thomas Jackson,	80
22,	Samuel Batson,	23 00
25,	Clarence Williams,	2 00
29,	Thaddeus Tarlton,	12 00
29,	Byron S. Yeaton,	15 00
29,	Lewis H. Trefethen,	1 00
29,	Nat. Mechanics and Traders Bank,	330 00
May 6,	M. E. Marston,	2 20
6,	Clarence Williams,	5 20
13,	John V. White,	60 18
13,	Z. J. V. Randall,	6 00
13,	James W. White,	14 60
13,	Andrew Manson,	11 74
13,	John W. Pridham,	12 00
13,	Samuel Batson,	17 50
13,	J. E. Yeaton,	12 23
13,	C. A. Card,	27 60
13,	O. V. Randall,	17 00
13,	Rider & Cotton,	2 28
13,	G. B. Chadwick,	6 56
13,	Frank C. Brown,	3 26
20,	John D. Randall,	6 00
20,	John T. Amazeen,	15 00
20,	John H. Broughton,	23 94
20,	Thomas E. Call & Son,	2 82
20,	John H. Broughton,	21 06
20,	Pryor & Matthews,	7 97
20,	George A. Trafton,	5 84

May 27,	Andrew J. Manson,	\$19 55
27,	J. E. Yeaton,	16 00
27,	W. J. Yeaton,	19 55
27,	Rufus J. Emery,	19 00
27,	John W. Pridham,	19 55
27,	Clarence Williams,	30 00
27,	James W. Pridham, for schools	60 00
27,	B. F. Curtis,	25 00
27,	Thaddeus Tarlton,	5 00
June 3,	J. A. Walker,	13 15
3,	O. V. Randall,	24 00
3,	John T. Amazeen,	19 55
3,	John R. Pridham,	12 00
6,	Thaddeus Tarlton,	20 00
6,	R. Clyde Margeson,	11 00
10,	J. V. White,	4 58
10,	G. B. Chadwick,	4 17
10,	George A. Trafton,	3 44
10,	A. P. Wendell & Co.,	1 90
10,	Rider & Cotton,	3 60
10,	B. F. Curtis,	17 00
10,	Elerson C. White,	8 00
10,	C. A. Card,	5 25
10,	C. H. White,	144 81
17,	Thaddeus Tarlton,	1 14
17,	James W. Pridham, for schools	60 00
17,	Loren E. Hubley,	2 40
July 1,	Mrs. Sarah E. Meloon,	10 50
1,	James W. Pridham,	10 00
1,	B. F. Curtis,	19 50
1,	R. E. Poole,	9 00
16,	Mrs. Rebecca Beal,	19 50
16,	Metallic Guide Board Co.,	14 40
29,	William J. Yeaton,	3 00
29,	J. M. Meloon,	10 00
29,	John R. Pridham,	4 00

July	29,	James W. Pridham, for schools,	\$18 00
	29,	William H. C. Follansby,	1,000 16
	29,	Byron S. Yeaton,	5 00
Aug.	5,	Frank C. Brown, collector,	102 07
	5,	Thaddeus Tarlton,	3 00
	19,	Sarah Locke,	8 60
	19,	John R. Pridham,	4 00
	19,	Henry Becker, Jr.,	100 00
	19,	J. E. Yeaton,	4 00
	19,	Ports. Trust & Guarantee Co.,	1,000 00
Sept.	2,	Fred Bell,	3 06
	30,	City of Portsmouth, for tuition,	40 00
	30,	J. R. Pridham,	4 00
	30,	James W. Pridham, for schools,	11 78
Oct.	7,	George A. White,	19 50
	7,	Hoyt & Dow,	6 60
	7,	Dr. S. T. Ladd,	4 00
	7,	Mrs. Rebecca Beal,	19 50
	7,	James W. Pridham, for schools,	60 00
	7,	R. E. Poole,	9 00
	7,	Mrs. Sarah E. Meloon,	10 50
	28,	James W. Pridham, for schools,	60 00
	28,	Nat. Mechanics & Traders Bank,	330 00
	28,	William T. Meloon,	21 50
	28,	William T. Meloon,	8 65
Nov.	18,	O. V. Randall,	5 00
	18,	James W. Pridham, for schools,	35 00
	18,	Z. J. V. Randall,	5 00
	18,	George W. Randall,	2 00
	18,	Elmer S. Pridham,	2 00
	18,	Thaddeus Tarlton,	5 00
	18,	Charles C. Tarlton,	10 00
Nov.	25,	Solon A. Carter, state tax,	476 00
Dec.	2,	Frank A. Brown,	2 00
	16,	James W. Pridham, for schools,	101 20
	16,	John R. Pridham,	12 00



Dec. 30,	Winslow Amazeen,	\$5 60
30,	O. V. Randall,	9 25
30,	George W. Randall,	4 00
30,	Fabius W. Robinson,	5 60
1903.		
Jan. 6,	Paid Jesse O. White,	2 00
6,	George A. White,	19 50
6,	Charles A. Card,	7 00
6,	Mrs. Rebecca Beal,	19 50
6,	R. E. Poole,	9 00
6,	Mrs. Sarah E. Meloon,	10 50
6,	John H. Broughton,	5 40
6,	John D. Randall,	1 75
13,	James W. Pridham,	10 00
13,	O. V. Randall,	20 00
13,	Conrad Push,	10 00
13,	Thaddeus Tarlton,	35 00
13,	J. R. Pridham,	4 40
13,	Harry S. Yeaton,	3 00
13,	E. D. Rand,	25 00
Jan. 20,	J. T. Amazeen,	2 00
20,	Hazen Randall,	70
20,	C. C. Tarlton,	31 00
20,	William T. Meloon,	7 00
20,	William T. Meloon,	23 40
20,	William T. Meloon,	36 60
20,	James W. Pridham, for schools,	68 45
20,	G. A. White,	2 06
Jan. 27,	J. E. Yeaton,	19 00
27,	Andrew B. White,	5 00
27,	James W. Pridham,	113 06
27,	City of Portsmouth,	30 00
27,	B. F. Curtis, for schools,	22 00
27,	C. H. Johnson,	1 00
27,	Amory J. Meloon,	5 85
Feb. 10,	James W. Pridham,	1 00

Feb. 10, Byron S. Yeaton, for services,	\$51 65
10, Edward B. Baker,	5 00
10, James Baker,	1 80
10, James Baker,	3 00
10, John R. Pridham,	4 00
10, Loren E. Hubley,	4 80
10, Frank A. Brown,	12 73
10, Thaddeus Tarlton,	20 00
10, J. R. Pridham,	6 00
10, William J. Yeaton,	4 00
10, Stephen L. Amazeen,	4 00
Feb. 13, George W. Randall,	2 00
13, O. V. Randall,	2 00
13, H. M. Curtis,	5 75
13, Byron S. Yeaton,	3 35
13, William T. Meloon,	4 77
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	\$5,741 14
Cash to balance,	1,335 46
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	\$7,076 60

We certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

WILLARD M. JENNESS, } *Auditors.*  
 OLIVER B. MARVIN, }

Feb. 17, 1903.

# Report of Trustees of the Public Library,

For the year ending Feb. 15, 1903.

NEW CASTLE, N. H., Feb. 15, 1903.

1902.

Feb. 15, Cash on deposit in Portsmouth Savings Bank,	\$215 81
Sept. 25, Received from J. Albert Walker, for books,	10 00
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	\$225 81
Nov. 14, Withdrew from bank, for books,	100 00
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Balance,	\$125 81

1902.

Feb. 15, Cash on hand, for current expenses,	\$52 75
Aug. 19, Received from the town,	100 00
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	\$152 75

## EXPENDED FROM THIS AMOUNT AS FOLLOWS:

Feb. 20, Paid Octavia Becker,	\$4 16
March 20, Octavia Becker,	4 16
April 2, William T. Meloon, for fuel,	2 60
20, Octavia Becker,	4 16
May 1, A. W. Hanscom, for 3 months' rent,	12 50
20, Octavia Becker,	4 16
June 20, Octavia Becker,	4 25
July 20, Octavia Becker,	4 16
Aug. 20, Octavia Becker,	5 00
Sept. 20, Octavia Becker,	5 00
Oct. 20, Octavia Becker,	5 00
Nov. 1, A. W. Hanscom, for 6 months' rent,	25 00
20, Octavia Becker,	5 00

Dec. 20, Octavia Becker,	\$5 00
1903.	
Jan. 2, Paid William T. Meloon, for fuel,	3 00
20, Octavia Becker,	5 00
Feb. 20, A. W. Hanscom, for 3 months' rent,	12 50
10, William T. Meloon, for fuel,	2 00
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	\$112 65
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Balance on hand, for current expenses,	\$40 10

HENRY BECKER, JR.,  
 WILLARD M. JENNESS,  
 S. H. HARDING.



## Report of the Board of Education.

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### *To the Inhabitants of the Town of New Castle:*

The Board of Education respectfully submits the following report of the work of the schools of this town for the year ending Feb. 15, 1903—

#### GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

The spring term of the grammar school was under the charge of Miss Beatrice A. Randall, and her work was most satisfactory to the board. Miss Randall resigned at the end of the spring term.

Since the beginning of the fall term, the grammar school has been in charge of Miss Lulu M. Littlefield, whose methods of teaching are most heartily approved of by the board. Miss Littlefield has taken a great interest in the school, and it is pleasing to note the interest taken by the pupils under her care. The present board would recommend that she be retained in this school.

#### PRIMARY SCHOOL.

Miss Maude Trefethen's good work in this school is too well known to comment upon at this time; her methods of discipline over the little ones are perfect. Miss Trefethen is very much interested in this line of work, and the present board most heartily recommends that she still be retained in her present position.

The Board of Education feel very grateful to Mrs. Hasbrook, of Chicago, a former pupil of our primary school, for having the school at her own expense papered and pictures hung upon the walls, which makes the room very neat and attractive

Again, we urge upon the parents the necessity of children

attending school more regular. Parents should not allow their children to remain away from school, unless sickness or some other urgent cause prevents them from being present.

JAMES W. PRIDHAM, } *Board*  
 ANDREW B. WHITE, } *of*  
 CONRAD PUSH, } *Education.*

### STATISTICAL REPORT OF SCHOOLS.

SCHOOLS.	Terms, 1st, 2d, 3d.	No. of Pupils.	Aver. Attendance.	Per. of Attendance	No. in Reading.	Spelling.	Penmanship.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Botany.	Physiology.	Book-keeping.	Algebra.	Composition.	Phys. Geography.
Grammer.	1st.	23 18	.8317	19 22	14 22	22 22	22 22	22 22	22 22	22 22	0 9	9 3	0 22				
Grammer.	2d.	18 17	.9444	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	3 18	3 18		
Garmmer.	3d.	18 16	.8888	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	18 18	3 18	3 18		
Primary.	1st	13 12	.9722	13 11	11 11	11 8											
Primary.	2d.	17 16	.921	17 16	13 13	10 10											
Primary.	3d.	18 16	.8888	18 16	14 13	10 10											

### SCHOOLS.

Amount of school money,	\$838 04
Paid Beatrice A. Randall, teaching grammar school,	158 90
Lulu M. Littlefield, teaching grammar school,	180 00
Maude H. Trefethen, teaching primary school,	170 00
Mrs. Emery and Mrs. Pridham, cleaning school room,	14 00
Stephen L. Amazeen, janitor, 1902,	10 00
Stephen L. Amazeen, janitor, 1902,	40 00
Hoyt & Dow, supplies,	65 80
William T. Meloon, supplies and fuel,	68 45
John P. Sweetser, stove,	30 50

Paid Leavenworth & Green, maps,	\$15 00
Rider & Cotton, flags,	11 78
Portsmouth Milling Co.,	3 50
Austin White, soap,	75
Thaddeus Tarlton, repairs to building,	1 50
Andrew H. White, painting and blackboard,	2 00
Lewis Kinnear,	75
A. P. Wendell & Co., lock,	81
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	\$773 24
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Balance on hand,	\$64 80

We certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

WILLARD M. JENNESS, } *Auditors.*  
 OLIVER B. MARVIN, }

Feb. 17, 1903.





# BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NEW CASTLE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1902.

Date of Birth.	Name of the Child (if any).	Sex.	Condition. Number. Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.*	Age of Mother.*
June 30, 1902.....	Philip E. Marvin.....	M	L 2 w	Oliver B. Marvin.....	Cora I. Wheeler.....	w	New Castle.....	Merchant.....	Portsmouth, N. H.....	Lynn, Mass.....	32	25
March 8, 1902.....	Millard Tibbetts.....	M	L 1 "	Fred Tibbetts.....	Fannie White.....	"	New Castle.....	Surfman.....	Bath Bay, Me.....	New Castle.....	28	26
April 30, 1902.....	.....	M	S 1 "	C. D. Henley.....	Bertha Manson.....	"	New Castle.....	Laborer.....	Washington, D. C.....	New Castle.....	30	20
July 27, 1902.....	Herbert W. Jackson.....	M	L 1 "	Thomas Jackson.....	Eva Amazeen.....	"	New Castle.....	Laborer.....	Hazletville, Del.....	New Castle.....	26	22
July 28, 1902.....	Anna L. Horning.....	F	L 1 "	Andrew J. Horning.....	Ivoleon W. Emery.....	"	New Castle.....	Laborer.....	Ohio.....	New Castle.....	23	22
October 6, 1902.....	Carrie M. Libby.....	F	L 2 "	William Libby.....	Emelia Gardener.....	"	New Castle.....	Carpenter.....	Bristol, R. I.....	Beluham, Mass.....	38	30
August 8, 1902.....	Herman D. Curtis.....	M	L 1 "	Alvah H. M. Curtis.....	Mary E. Dana.....	"	Portsmouth, N. H.....	Teacher.....	New Castle.....	Chelsea, Mass.....	31	31
August 8, 1902.....	Ballard D. Curtis.....	M	L 2 "	Alvah H. M. Curtis.....	Mary E. Dana.....	"	Portsmouth, N. H.....	Teacher.....	New Castle.....	Chelsea, Mass.....	31	31
November 24, 1902.....	Floyd O. Becker.....	M	L 1 "	Chester A. Becker.....	Martha B. Amazeen.....	"	New Castle.....	Engineer.....	New Castle.....	New Castle.....	24	20

\*At last birthday.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

BYRON S. YEATON, *Town Clerk.*

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NEW CASTLE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1902.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age. Color.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	No. Marriage.	Name, Residence, and official station of person by whom married.
August 2, 1902.....	New Castle.....	Alexander P. Brown.....	Boston, Mass.....	49 w	Lawyer.....	Washington, D. C.....	Austin Brown.....	Washington, D. C.....	Lawyer.....	1	Charles A. Morrill, Priest,
.....	.....	Ella Dinsmore.....	Boston, Mass.....	49 "	.....	Charlestown, N. H.....	Ebenezer Dinsmore.....	Charlestown, N. H.....	.....	2	Portsmouth, N. H.
September 3, 1902.....	New Castle.....	Geoffey M. Wheelock.....	Boston, Mass.....	22 "	Clerk.....	Shanghai, China.....	Fanny Willard.....	Charlestown, N. H.....	.....	1	Henry E. Hovey, Clergyman,
.....	.....	Mary B. Wendell.....	Boston, Mass.....	19 "	.....	Boston, Mass.....	Edith H. Clark.....	Boston, Mass.....	.....	1	Portsmouth, N. H.
September 18, 1902.....	New Castle.....	Daniel F. Miller.....	New Castle.....	23 "	Soldier.....	So. Hampton, Eng.....	Joseph Miller.....	So. Hampton, Eng.....	Carpenter.....	1	Ernest C. Davis, Clergyman,
.....	.....	Arta Manson.....	New Castle.....	17 "	Housewife.....	New Castle.....	Sarah Hubbard.....	So. Hampton, Eng.....	Housewife.....	1	.....
October 1, 1902.....	New Castle.....	Welcom E. Maxam.....	Springfield, Mass.....	27 "	U. S. Army.....	Dickerson, N. Y.....	Andrew Manson.....	New Castle.....	Molder.....	1	New Castle, N. H.
.....	.....	Ida M. Poole.....	New Castle.....	26 "	Housewife.....	New Castle.....	Hannah Manson.....	New Castle.....	Carpenter.....	1	.....
December 2, 1902.....	New Castle.....	William L. Jennings.....	New Castle.....	22 "	Soldier.....	Gibraltar.....	Oscar A. Maxam.....	Brushton, N. Y.....	Watchman.....	1	New Castle, N. H.
.....	.....	Blanche J. Gage.....	New Castle.....	27 "	Housewife.....	Dover, N. H.....	Mattie S. Hatch.....	Edgecomb, Me.....	Timekeeper.....	1	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	John Poole.....	Plymouth, Eng.....	Housewife.....	1	New Castle, N. H.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Thomas J. Jennings.....	Dover, N. H.....	Carpenter.....	1	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Ida C. Basden.....	Dover, N. H.....	Housewife.....	1	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Thomas Gage.....	Dover, N. H.....	Housewife.....	1	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Ida F. Brownell.....	Dover, N. H.....	Housewife.....	1	.....

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

BYRON S. YEATON, *Town Clerk.*

# DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NEW CASTLE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1902.

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age. Years. Months. Days.	Place of Birth	Sex. Color.	Mar. Sin. Wid.	Occupation.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Disease, or Cause of Death.	Occupation of Father.*	Name and P. O. Address of Physician (or other person) reporting Death.
Jan. 6, 1902.....	New Castle...	George Vennard.....	94 10 26	New Castle...	M	w	W	New Castle...	New Castle...	George Vennard.....	Dorothy Bell.....	Old age.....	.....	F. S. Towle, M. D., Portsmouth.....
Jan. 21, 1902.....	Ponce Pk, Fla	David R. Grogan.....	61 1 ..	.....	M	w	W	Seaman.....	Eastport, Me.....	David Grogan.....	Lucy Holbrook.....	Apoplexy.....	.....	O. W. Ham, Undertaker, Portsmouth...
Feb. 10, 1902.....	New Castle...	Sarah R. Emerson.....	81 .. 26	Durham, N. H.	F	w	W	Housewife.....	.....	James Chesley.....	Sarah Reynolds.....	Arteris Sclerosis.....	.....	F. S. Towle, M. D., Portsmouth.....
Mar. 12, 1902.....	Portland, Me.	John B. Holbrook.....	50 2 12	New Castle...	M	w	W	Seaman.....	.....	Elas Holbrook.....	Almira Coggins.....	Disease of liver.....	.....	W. H. Bradford, M. D., Portland, Me. .
Mar. 15, 1902.....	New Castle...	Albert H. White.....	78 4 ..	New Castle...	M	w	W	Laborer.....	New Castle...	Robert White.....	Elizabeth Batson.....	Cerebral Hemorrhage.....	.....	F. S. Towle, M. D., Portsmouth.....
Mar. 30, 1902.....	Exeter, N. H.	Ella E. Trefethen.....	46 7 20	New Castle...	F	w	W	Housewife.....	New Castle...	Portsmouth.....	Abram Trefethen.....	Apoplexy.....	.....	H. C. Day, M. D., Exeter, N. H.....
April 3, 1902.....	New Castle...	Mary Olive Smith.....	78 .. ..	New Castle...	F	w	W	Housewife.....	.....	New Castle...	John Obrey.....	Disease of bladder.....	.....	W. O. Junkins, M. D., Portsmouth.....
April 18, 1902.....	New Castle...	Robert F. White.....	76 6 16	New Castle...	M	w	W	Seaman.....	New Castle...	New Castle...	Robert White.....	Heart disease.....	.....	F. S. Towle, M. D., Portsmouth.....
April 21, 1902.....	Portsmouth...	Lettie L. Card.....	..... ..	Portsmouth...	F	w	W	.....	New Castle...	New Castle...	Elias Card.....	Meningitis.....	.....	A. J. Lance, M. D., Portsmouth.....
May 1, 1902.....	New Castle...	.....	..... ..	New Castle...	M	w	W	.....	Wash'ton, D C	New Castle...	C. D. Henley.....	Premature birth.....	.....	A. C. Heffenger, M. D., Portsmouth.....
July 15, 1902.....	New Castle...	Dorothy Trefethen.....	72 .. 6	New Castle...	F	w	W	Housewife.....	Rye, N. H.	New Castle...	James Randall.....	Heart disease.....	.....	John J. Berry, M. D., Portsmouth.....
July 21, 1902.....	New Castle...	Fred P. Cotton.....	21 .. ..	Portsmouth...	M	w	S	Clerk.....	Portsmouth...	Portsmouth...	William W. Cotton.....	Bright's disease.....	.....	F. L. Benedict, M. D., Portsmouth.....
Sept 4, 1902.....	Portsmouth...	Louise A. Durgin.....	74 1 2	New Castle...	F	w	W	Housewife.....	.....	New Castle...	.....	Apoplexy.....	.....	J. W. Parsons, M. D., Portsmouth.....
Sept. 12, 1902.....	New Castle...	Louisa M. Yeaton.....	54 7 12	New Castle...	F	w	W	Housewife.....	New Castle...	New Castle...	Alfred Mcloon.....	Carcinoma of intestines.....	.....	W. O. Junkins, M. D., Portsmouth.....
Oct. 2, 1902.....	Portsmouth...	Leander Garland.....	72 .. 6	New Castle...	M	w	M	Carpenter.....	.....	.....	.....	Apoplexy.....	.....	C. A. Twombly, Haverhill, Mass.....
Nov. 25, 1902.....	Portsmouth...	Hannah Perkins.....	64 10 27	New Castle...	F	w	W	Housewife.....	New Castle...	New Castle...	Stillman Tarlton ..	Gangrene intestines.....	.....	S. T. Ladd, M. D., Portsmouth.....
Dec. 17, 1902.....	Portland, Me.	Almira E. Holbrook.....	85 4 28	.....	F	w	W	.....	.....	.....	.....	Senility.....	.....	A. L. French, M. D.....
Dec. 19, 1902.....	New Castle...	John Baker.....	56 11 11	New Castle...	M	w	S	Laborer.....	New Castle...	New Castle...	Joshua Baker.....	Pulmonary tuber.....	.....	S. T. Ladd, M. D., Portsmouth.....

\*If deceased was under fifteen years of age.

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BYRON S. YEATON, *Town Clerk.*

